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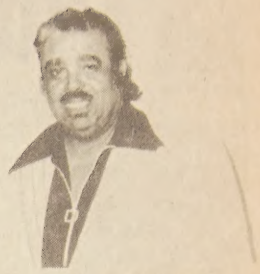

Fitzgerald Beaver

If Attorney General Edward H. Levi pleads with the Supreme Court for reversal of the federal district court ruling in the Boston school busing controversy, it would be to date the most severe blow that has yet been struck against school desegregation.

Whether the high court agrees to hear the plea or not, the very attempt by the Justice Department to nullify the judicial action of the Boston court is by itself a notice to the anti-busing rebels that they have a friend in Attorney General Levi and that their resistance to the law has ample constitutional ground to justify its continuance.

This abviously is a political maneuvering dictated by President Ford who has more than once assailed the federal courts for their busing orders fully in the spirit and intent of the law. We never thought Mr. Levi, former president of a great liberal institution - the University of Chicago - a man immersed in the liberalism of the midwest institution, would allow himself to be a willing tool of an anti-social, anti-racial scheme.

There is no excuse for a man of Levi's intellectual clarity and independence to stoop to a tactic that vitiates not only a legally established , judicial principle, but is a vexatious contradiction to the moral tenor of a law intended to strengthen the walls of the temple.

Levi's plan is shocking enough to raise serious doubts on his integrity as chief of the Department of Justice. The conclusion is inevitable that a man so weak as to falter in the ethical requirements of his task, cannot be trusted. He should be removed from office. RIGHT ON!

Washington Among Top Five States in Control of Welfare Fraud

Washington was among the five most efficient states in the U. S. in catching and prosecuting welfare cheaters during fiscal year 1975.

Milton Burdman, deputy secretary, Washington State Department of Social and Health Services, said the Department's Office of Special Investigation found provable fraud in 1,089 of the cases investigated during the twelve-month period.

He said, "This represents about one percent of the 90,101 applications for financial assistance approved by the Department during the period, most of which were entirely legitimate. It also represents a significant amount of fraudulently obtained funds to be recovered by the state."

Court-ordered restitution from prosecuted cases during this period totals $1,177,085, according to Special Investigation Supervisor Robert Neilson.

Burdman said all states are responsible for discovering and investigating situations in which individuals obtain public financial assistance for which they are not eligible, whether through administrative error or deliberate effort to defraud the state.

During the same period, DSHS local offices referred an additional 5,619 cases to OSI. OSI's investigation proved these cases to involve unintentional error, mitigating circumstances or no interest to defraud. These were returned to the local offices for correction by establishment of overpayments totaling $2,265,015.00. Collection efforts were initiated by the local offices.

The 1,089 cases of provable fraud were turned over to county prosecutors for criminal action. Welfare fraud is a felony carrying a 15-year prison term. Usually, however, the court attempts to recover funds by deferring sentence, stipulating restitution.

Other states ranking among the top five, in number of cases of provable fraud investigated, were New York, California, Pennsylvania and Florida, according to an annual report released in May by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Better Mental Health in Black Community

By Glenda Buchanan, Counselor

Comprehensive Mental Health Center continues to extend assistance and community services to those experiencing some sort of difficulty in day to day living. The mental health center has various techniques in helping one acquire a positive feeling towards meeting the demands of everyday living.

The Center's largest program is Adult Services, which is divided into several areas of treatment. For example:

Group Therapy - Includes group Anger TX, Assertive Training, People Alone, Depression TX, Acting out Feelings, Anxiety TX, Improving Self-Perception, Women in Transition, Self-Identity TX, etc.

Activity Therapy - A therapy which focuses on improving self-concept and learning to relate to others through activities. The activity groups include Pottery, Ceramics, Crafts, Music, and Sports.

Vocational Rehabilitation - Emphasis in this part of the program is on Vocational choice, interest development, training opportunity, and methods of seeking employment.

Individual Therapy - Where clients can converse individually and confidentially with only himself and the therapist rather than in a group setting.

Medication Assessment - A psychiatrist is available for medication adjustment.

Socialization Program - A program designed for those who are not able to socialize comfortably in the greater community. Groups offered are Crafts, Rap sessions, Needle Craft, Outing Group, Food Preparation, and Cooking is offered.

For further information or assistance, please feel free to visit C. M. H. C. at 1202 South "K" Street or telephone (206) 597-8236 or the main desk at 597-8200 during normal business hours.

Another very important program of Comprehensive Mental Health Center is Children's Outpatient Services which provides counseling to families, parents, and children up to 18 years of age. The services include family therapy or individual therapy. Also parenting classes are offered in the areas of child management, parent effectiveness, and child development. Other groups involve assertive training, relaxation exercises, problem solving for youth and other training classes on how to communicate with your family, parent, or child.

To set an appointment for Children's Services call 597-8226.

Burglary Prevention Week

The Tacoma City Council has designated the week of June 20-26, 1976, as Burglary Prevention Week in Tacoma. This was done in conjunction with National Burglary Prevention Month (June) as promoted by the National Burglary Prevention Committee. In order to obtain maximum coverage of anti-burglary programming during this period of time, we hope the enclosed news releases may be of help in promoting the various programs designed to help the public help themselves.

Our Crime Prevention Unit specialists will gladly demonstrate the best locking devices, alarm systems and glass installations to your news reporters and photographers. You may contact that Unit by calling 593-4047 for additional information and assistance.

Interviews with officers working burglary cases are also potentials wherein you would obtain first hand opinions of why so many burglaries are taking place not only in Tacoma but throughout the country. In the event you would like to observe an officer handling a burglary, this too can be arranged wherein you would accompany one of the investigators into the field for your own information and/or story ideas.

Notice

By Douglas K. Burden

School is out and most of you are glad, but the EORC (Educational Opportunity Resource Center) reminds you they'll be open all summer long to provide career and academic counseling, admissions and financial aid information, post secondary program information and support services to people who wish to pursue post-secondary education.

Whatever your education plans, the EORC can help you get it together for fall quarter.

Stop by EORC at 515 South "M" Street or call 572-5960.

NCO's Attend Transportation Course

Senior Master Sergeant Earnest Campbell Jr., receives certificates of completion of training from Brigadier General J.W. Waters, deputy chief of staff for Logistics, Headquarters Pacific Air Forces. Sergeant Campbell, a transportation superintendent in the Logistics directorate, was one of the first noncommissioned officers from PACAF to attend the Staff Transportation Officer Course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas. The course was recently offered to senior NCOs for the first time as career broadening training. (U.S. Air Force Photo by Bill Seto.)

HEADQUARTERS, PACIFIC AIR FORCES, Hawaii -- One of the first U.S. Air Force senior noncommissioned officers and one of two NCO's from Pacific Air Forces (PACAF) to attend the Staff Transportation Officer Course is SMSgt Earnest Campbell Jr., of PACAF deputy chief of staff for Logistics.

Sergeant Campbell, from Jacksonville, Fla., an air transportation superintendent in the directorate, attended this course offered for the first time to NCOs as career broadening training.

Previously available only to transportation officers, this 10-week course includes training in advanced traffic management, transportation planning, programming, operations of all modes, terminal management, vehicle operations and maintenance, and management of transportation funds.

The first 19 NCO's entered the course on Feb. 3 and completed some 10 weeks later.

Graduation came for this first group of NCOs April 12 in the NCO Open Mess at Sheppard AFB, Tex., with the Chief of Transportation for the Air Force, Maj. Gen. Banjamin F. Starr Jr., as guest speaker. General Starr was intorduced by Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force, Thomas N. Barnes. Both General Starr and Sergeant Barnes were at Sheppard on an official visit, and attended the first graduation of NCOs from the officer course.

In addition to Sergeant Campbell, the others graduating were Chief Master Sergeants William J. Gallagher, Carl T. Jackson, Howard A. Jamison, and Joseph L. Scheid; Senior Master Sergeants Gary L. Howe, Bobbie K. Jones, Willie E. Jordan, Joseph M. Moore, Charles W. Watson and Robert Winkler.

Also, Master Sergeants attending were Kenneth Bach, Jonnie Charles, Adrian G. Gonger, Marion L. Forshour, Franklin D. Reed, Phillip R. Roberts, Frankie L. Sayers and Samuel P. Stanley.

Summer School Program

Tacoma youngsters will have an opportunity to participate in a variety of subject areas during this year's summer school program sponsored by the Tacoma Public Schools.

The self-sustaining program carries the same fees as last year's. These range from $16 for a single course; $30 for two or more at the elementary level to $26 for one course and $50 for two at the secondary level.

Registration will take place at various summer school locations throughout the city on June 14. Locations include Birney, Edison, Manitou, Mann and Washington elementary schools; Stewart and Jason Lee Junior High Schools; and Wilson High School.

In addition to the basic curriculum offerings, musical opportunities will prevail for secondary students. The all-city high school band will meet daily at Stadium High School, while the all-city junior high school band meets at Jason Lee Junior High School. Fees are $26 and $20 respectively. Instruction in string instruments will be available at Stewart and Jason Lee Junior High Schools at the rate of $10 per hour of instruction.

Boys and girls in fourth through sixth grades can enroll in a summer sports program at Lincoln High School and learn about soccer, swimming, volleyball and tumbling and gymnastics. Fee for the four-week session is $50.

Basketball clinics scheduled at Wilson and Lincoln High Schools will emphasize individualized instruction. Participants will be grouped according to age and/or ability and will be placed on teams for daily competition. The clinics begin on June 28 and carry a fee of $20.

A course which is free to high school students is an introduction to forestry and to the Lincoln Tree Farm facility. This two-week program starts August 2 and is open to persons 16 years old or older.

Career planning at each of the city's five high schools will begin on July 12 and carries a minimal fee. The daily classes will include field trips to various Puget Sound businesses in addition to exploring self-interests, attitudes, activities, achievements and goals.

Summer recreation activities for the entire family will again be offered at Henry Foss High School. The six-week program will begin June 21 and will include instruction in swimming, diving, tumbling, body conditioning, tennis, badminton, volleyball, jogging, slimnastics, archery and field/track.

Family ticket fees are $8 per week, $17 for three weeks, and $28 for the entire session.

A brochure (enclosed) explaining all summer school opportunities is available at all district schools.

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Washington Mutual Savings Bank Has New Home Loan Plan With Less Emphasis on Age or Location

Reduced initial loan payments and revised loan qualifications are key features in a new approach to home financing announced today by Washington Mutual Savings Bank.

The statewide bank's "Step Rate Residential Loan" program, effective June 14, calls for interest payments of 7.50 per cent for the first two years of a typical 30-year home purchase loan. Interest will progress to 8.25 per cent for the second two years, to 9.00 per cent for the third two years, and to 9.75 for the remaining 24 years. The average Annual Percentage Rate, which represents the interest plus certain other loan costs, would be 9.50 per cent if carried to maturity.

Washington Mutual President C.W. Eldridge said criteria for loans will center far more on an individual's credit strength and ability to make payments than in the past. Less emphasis will be paid to the age or location of a home.

The Step Rate plan's principal features of reduced initial interest rates and greater emphasis on the individual rather than the home or neighborhood are similar to those of an innovative home improvement loan program announced last month by the same bank.

Eldridge said the new Step Rate loan is available for single family residences with a market value up to and including $40,000. The bank will loan as much as 90 per cent of the property's value, and payment can be sut for as long as 30 years. Washington Mutual will charge a fee of two per cent of the loan amount for making the loan. In addition, the bank will collect the other customary closing costs.

To illustrate the monthly payments, Eldridge cited an example of a 30-year, $30,000 Step Rate loan:

"The monthly payments during the first two years would be $209.77. In years three and four, the monthly payments would be $224.83; and in the next two years they would be $239.60. Payments, thereafter, would be $254.13 each month.

"If a home buyer arranged a typical 9.25 per cent fixed rate loan, the monthly payments over the life of that loan would be $246.81. The Annual Percentage Rate would be 9.50 per cent, the same as that on the Step Rate loan."

The borrower must occupy, or intend to occupy, the home, and the property must meet minimum health and safety codes.

Eldridge said the bank will accept monthly payments to build a reserve to pay real property taxes when they are due. However, that is not a requirement of the Step Rate plan, he explained. In addition, there will not be a charge at any time for prepayment of the complete loan.

The new home loan plan will be available through any of Washington Mutual's 32 branches throughout the state.

Jump for Equality Sky-Dive Feature of Seattle Urban League Day at Races

A Jump for Equality Sky-Dive will feature the second annual Seattle Urban League Day at Longacres on Saturday, June 26. Friends of the League will gather at the race track's Turf Club for an afternoon of fun and excitement.

The ticket price of $12.50 will include admittance to the track, admittance to the Turf Club, and a fabulous prime rib and prawns dinner. "The entire package would cost well over $14 if purchased separately," said Jerome W. Page, Executive Director of the League, "so we are giving people a real bargain as well as a fun afternoon."

Proceeds from the ticket sales to to support basic programs and activities of the League.

The sky-dive will feature a team of sky-divers who will leap out over Longacres and attempt to land on a Seattle Urban League equal sign set out in the track's infield. One of the League's own staff members, Bill Strawbridge, will be part of the sky-diving team.

The feature race of the day will also be run in honor of the Seattle Urban League; Mr. Page and Mark Cooper, League President, will crown the winning horse.

Call 447-3792 for tickets or stop by the League's office at 14th and Yesler. At the event gates will open at 11:30 a.m., the sky-dive will take place at noon, and racing will begin at 1:15 p.m. Dinner will be served in the Turf Club beginning at 3:30 p.m.

Arrangements for the League's Day at Longacres are being made by Seattle Urban League Board member Ken Alhadeff, who is Vice President and General Manager of Washington Concessions, Inc.

For more information contact: Bill Strawbridge 447-3792.

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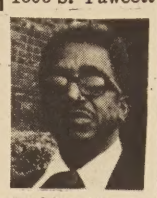

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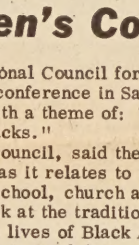

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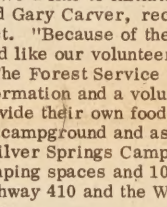

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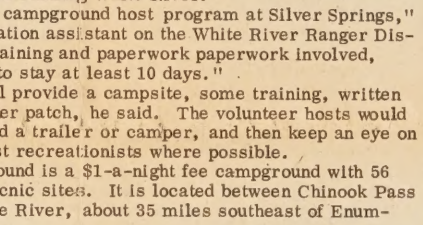
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Church News

The men of St. John Baptist Church will be celebrating their Annual Men's Day on June 18, with the Rev. M. Cain and the Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church of Tacoma; on June 19 with Rev. Davenport and the Macedonia Baptist Church of Seattle; and June 20 with Rev. E. Encarnacion and the Vocational Baptist Church of Tacoma. There will also be guest choirs each night. The public is cordially invited. Our theme is "Responsible Men". St. John is located at 2001 South "J" Street, Tacoma. Deacon A.D. Johnson, Chairman; Rev. J.A. Boles, Pastor.

Day Care Center Provides Creative Program

Orenda Children's Center, located in Tacoma at the Puyallup Tribal Mission, 2232 East 28th, provides quality day care for children 2 1/2 to 6 years of age. Serving families from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Orenda's daily program includes music, creative movement, story time, art, science projects, free play periods, rest time and nutritious lunch and snacks. Mud Mountain Dam and the Tacoma Art Museum have been visited by the children and staff on outings planned about twice a month.

Orenda Children's Center is dedicated to offering a program emphasizing Native American Culture and heritage, and gives enrollment priority to Native American children whose parents are employed, enrolled in school or a job training program. Non-Indian children will be accepted as space allows.

Licensed by the state of Washington to care for twenty-nine children, Orenda would like to enroll ten more children in their expanding program.

To learn more about Orenda Children's Center, or to enroll your child, call Linda Keating at Orenda, 272-5010, or visit Orenda daily between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Fees will be arranged individually.

Operation "Day Care"

Boys and Girls between the ages of 8 and 20 years? Registration for the Malcolm X Day Care Program will continue through June 26, 1976. The program will begin operation June 21, 1976. All you need is the desire to be a part of our program and your parent's permission.

This year's program includes field trips (beaches, zoos, parks, and other places of interest), swimming, outdoor activities, and much, much more. We provide transportation, food and supervisory personnel. What we need are young people, so plan to be a part of this year's activities.

Parents, senior citizens and other interested persons are welcome to assist our staff of young workers. If you are interested or know of any young person who might be interested in the program this summer, feel free to contact Arvilla Johnson or D. Harold Pugh, 1602 So. "K" Street in person or by phone at MA7-4236.

Something to Think About

By Barbara Henderson

Last week I went to the Asberry Cultural Club and saw a beautiful play called "Red White and Blues" (a bicentennial statement in rhythm). The director, Mr. Fox, got the play together. It goes into the black history of America.

The Bicentennial celebration is ours as much as it is anyone elses. The fourth of July is just around the corner and what are we going to do about it? You are invited to be a part (because you are a part) of the 200th birthday of your country. The Bicentennial summons you to recall your heritage and place it in a historical perspective. On July 4, 1976 when they cut the cake, make sure you get your piece. Have a nice 4th of July. Happy Birthday America!

In San Francisco
Quality Education Main Topic of Black Children's Conference

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- The National Council for Black Child Development is holding its fourth annual conference in San Francisco at the St. Francis Hotel on June 17-20, with a theme of: "1619-1976 - The Pursuit of Quality Education for Blacks."

Roy Littlejohn, president of the Council, said the conference will examine various aspects of education as it relates to the Black community, i.e. children, the family, the school, church and political arena.

"We will not only take a close look at the traditional and historical role that education has played in the lives of Black Americans," Littlejohn said, "but we will focus on defining and determining the extent of quality education presently available to Blacks.

"More specifically, our conference is to provide a forum whereby we, as Blacks, can begin planning action strategies toward the assurance of quality education. To achieve this goal," Littlejohn said, "the conference is focused on five objectives: to review from an historical perspective the pursuit of quality education for Black children and youth; to determine the meaning of quality education for Black children; to develop regional action strategies designed to emphasize community issues relating to quality education for Black children; to provide information and strategies for conference participants to increase their effectiveness toward improving the quality of education for our youth, and to provide an information base upon which NCBCD can develop positions on educational issues pertaining to the education of Black children and youth."

One workshop will deal with the question, "Has Brown vs. Board of Education (the Supreme Court's school desegregation) Decision of 1954 Meant a Decline in Quality Education?"

Littlejohn said other workshops will discuss, in depth, such areas as: "Has the Role of the Black Family Been Usurped as an Educational Agent?" "Where are Institutions Failing in the Preparation of Educators for Black Children?" "A Black Value System to Prepare our Children to Cope in the Educational System;" "What is the Impact of the Media on the Education and Development of Black Children and Youth?" "Defining Quality Education for Blacks;" "Older Black Generations - An Educational Resource;" "Political Action: A Force for Educational Change;" and "Progressive Education and the Black College."

Keynote speakers will include Dr. Ruth Love Holloway, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Oakland Public Schools, and Dr. Evangeline Ward, Executive Director, Child Development Associate Consortium, of Washington, D.C.

Littlejohn said a cross-section of panelists, representing a number of professional disciplines, will lead the workshop discussions. These panelists include: Dr. V. Robert Hayles, of Battelle Memorial Institute and Human Affairs Research Center in Seattle, Washington; Dr. Albert Roberts, Department of Psychology, Howard University; Dr. Wade Nobles, Black Family Research Project-Westside Community Health Center, San Francisco; Dr. Diane Pollard, Department of Educational Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee; Jay Chunn, Dean, School of Social Work, Howard University; Dr. Jackie Kimbrough, Children's Collective, Los Angeles; Dr. Arthur Mathis, Director of Research and Evaluation, Meharry Medical College; Dr. Glendora Patterson, Interdisciplinary Program, School of Education, University of California-Berkeley; Dr. Janice Hale, Department of Early Childhood Education, Clark College-Atlanta; Mrs. Mona Bailey, Assistant Superintendent of Special Programs and Services, State of Washington, and Dr. Julia Davidson, Director of Mission Moton Educational Opportunity Center, Washington, D.C.

Other panelists are: Dr. Hobart C. Jackson, Steven Smith Geriatric Center, of Philadelphia; James Farmer, President, Council on Minority Planning and Strategy, Washington, D.C.; Ida Chambliss, North Seattle Community College; Don Smothers, President, Nairobi College in East Palo Alto, California; Dr. Naim Akbar, Nation of Islam, Chicago; Cecil Williams, Glide Memorial, San Francisco; Dr. Toye Lewis, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill; Dr. Torsi Wiley, Department of Teacher Education, California State College; Carol Phillips, Central City Community Mental Health Facility in Los Angeles; Dr. Asa Hilliard, Dean of School of Education, San Francisco State University; Dr. Beverly J. Lindsay, Assistant Professor, Education Policy Studies, and Dr. J. John Harris, III, Assistant Professor, Urban Curriculum Specialist, Pennsylvania State University; and Robert P. Allen, Nutrition Specialist, 4-H and Youth Department, of Pennsylvania State Department.

Littlejohn said the conference is an open meeting to which all persons representing the diversity of the Black community, having an interest in the education of our children and youth, are invited. All interested persons should write to: The National Council for Black Child Development, 1411 K Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20005.

Forest Service Seeks Volunteers

The U.S. Forest Service is looking for volunteers--possibly retired couples--to spend at least 10 days this summer as hosts in the Silver Springs campground on the rushing White River.

"We'd like to initiate a campground host program at Silver Springs," said Gary Carver, recreation assistant on the White River Ranger District. "Because of the training and paperwork paperwork involved, we'd like our volunteers to stay at least 10 days."

The Forest Service will provide a campsite, some training, written information and a volunteer patch, he said. The volunteer hosts would provide their own food and a trailer or camper, and then keep an eye on the campground and assist recreationists where possible.

Silver Springs Campground is a $1-a-night fee campground with 56 camping spaces and 10 picnic sites. It is located between Chinook Pass Highway 410 and the White River, about 35 miles southeast of Enumclaw.

The campground host program on the Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest began last year in the Denny Creek Campground on the North Bend Ranger District. Members of the Good Sam Club, a recreation vehicle travel group, alternated two week stays as volunteer hosts in the campground.

The program was a rousing success. The presence of hosts eliminated rowdiness and vandalism in the campground, while giving the volunteers a chance for a stay in the woods.

This year the Good Sams will expand their program to additional campgrounds, but do not have enough volunteers to help out at Silver Springs.

Couples who think they might be interested in volunteering as hosts for Silver Springs Campground this summer can contact Carver by writing to: U.S. Forest Service, White River Ranger Station, Enumclaw, Wa. 98022.

"We think this program is especially suited to retired couples, since they usually have more time to take on a special project," Carver said. "The program allows volunteers to make a contribution to the management of the National Forest in a scenic and enjoyable outdoor setting."

U. W. Summer Science Program Offers Outstanding Opportunity to High School Students

The University of Washington's Summer Science Program is designed to motivate and encourage minority and women high school students who are not seriously seeking higher education at present to pursue college careers in the sciences and engineering. It originated in 1968 in the Physics Department at the University of Washington and has been administered by the GPSS since 1973.

At present there are over 20 positions available to the students, ranging from the preparation of chemical reagents for water quality studies, to experimental work with rhesus monkeys.

The students are placed under the supervision of a faculty member and spend mornings in the laboratories and participate in educational activities afternoons to become acquainted with scientific facilities and programs available at the University of Washington.

Funding for the program is provided through a number of sources: the Seattle Work Training Program provides the bulk of the students' salaries. Other sources include the Associated Students of the University of Washington, the Graduate School, the Office of Minority Affairs and the GPSS itself.

The Program Coordinator, Hans J. Hartmann, a graduate student in Oceanography, has been largely responsible for providing the job opportunities and selecting the participating students. Together with a counselor, he will supervise the Program this summer in close cooperation with participating faculty members and students.

Because of its proven record of success and its broadening recognition as a worthwhile program, it can be predicted that, given sufficient funds over an extended five year period, the Summer Science Program will contribute significantly to an adequate representation of minorities and women in scientific and engineering professions throughout the Seattle Area.

There will be an orientation meeting on Saturday, June 5, 1976 from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. in Room 316 of the South Campus Center. The orientation is an opportunity for students participating in the Summer Science Program, their parents, state legislators, administrators at the the University, City of Seattle councilpersons, faculty at the University and others to meet and discuss the importance of the Summer Science Program in encouraging young people to enter scientific or engineering fields of study. The South Campus Center is an appropriate place to hold such an event since the Center serves the entire Health Sciences complex. A number of local and state luminaries will be invited, among them City Councilpersons Sam Smith, John Miller, Mayor Wes Uhlman, Senators George Felming and James McDermott, and Representatives John Eng, Peggy Maxie and Ceccarelli.

A Evening in Solidarity With Cuba

Hear Gilda, a young Black woman from Seattle, student at the University of Washington, and member of the Young Workers Liberation League (YWLL) and Raul, a young Chicano worker from Tacoma, member of the Claudia Jones Club, Communist Party U.S.A. and member of the YWLL-Tacoma brancy speak on their recent 6 week trip to Cuba as workers of the 8th Venceremos Brigade. The date is Thursday, June 17th from 7:30 to 9:30 at the Malcolm X Youth Center. Light refreshments and baked goods will be sold to benefit the People's World newspaper. The event is sponsored by the Claudia Jones Club, Communist Party U.S.A., Young Workers Liberation League, Tacoma branch. For further information contact: Norma Rader, 272-7037.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

WASHINGTON STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS
DISTRICT No. 1
6431 Corson Avenue South
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Sealed bids will be received by the Washington State Highway Commision, District 1, Department of Highways, 6431 Corson Avenue South, Seattle, Washington, on Thursday, July 1, 1976 until 11:00 A.M. and will then and there be opened and publicly read for the construction of the improvement listed below.

Bid proposals delivered in person will be received at the District 1 Reception Desk, located in the foyer of the District 1 Headquarters Building at 6431 Corson Avenue South, Seattle, Washington.

This project is advertised in order to enable small businesses and minority contractors to effectively compete for Highway Department contracts.

Special Prequalification will be required for those bidders not currently prequalified under standard prequalification. The Special Limited Questionnaire included with each set of contract documents should be completed and furnished to the District Engineer, District 1, Department of Highways, by no later than 12:00 Noon on Thursday, June 24, 1976. The State cannot guarantee processing of prequalification not received by this date. Bid proposals will be mailed no later than June 28, 1976 to those who are prequalified, but may be obtained in person from the District 1 Supply Office until June 30, 1976.

Prequalification forms, maps, plans and specifications may be obtained from the District Supply Office upon written request.

Informational copies of maps, plans and specifications are on file in the Office of the County Engineer of the County in which the work is situated, and the Public Information Office at District 1, Department of Highways, where they may be inspected.

Bids will be received for the following improvement:

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W.A. BULLEY
Director of Highways

BY: W.C. BOGART, P.E.
District Engineer

World War III Has Come Upon Us Unexpectedly

By Sherwood Ross

Those of us who thought it might break out in atomic fury between the superpowers or from a local war that exploded internationally were wrong. These dire possibilities may yet prove true. But for most of mankind, the new World War is the war between the people and their rulers.

The other day, a distinguished panel of Indians told of illegal imprisonments and torture in India, the victims being opponents of dictator Indira Ghandi's new iron rule. Not long before that, the New York Times carried a bloodchilling account of tortures in the dungeons of Iran's secret police as the Shah cracks down on his restless subjects. Even the inept United Nations Commission on Human Rights was moved to report of the terror that exists in Chile. And more than 300,000 complaints have been filed with it from courageous citizens of nations such as Equatorial Guinea, the Soviet Union, Brazil and Tanzania, documenting the agonies of common people in the prison camps and torture chambers of the ruling elite.

In all of Latin America, there is hardly a free country that survives. From the Philippines to Cambodia, the iron boot of government has been stamping out dissent. Democratic government, which the Founding Fathers hoped would be kindled around the world by their Revolution, lies everywhere prostrate. In Cambodia, from sketchy reports, the slaughter by the new Communist regime, has converted that beautiful nation into a tableau of massacre. In Chile, for every dissident released from jail, fresh arrests are being made and people simply "disappear" from the streets, never to be seen again.

Is this not indeed a new World War? Is not the jailing of hundreds of thousands, (and in the case of Russia, millions) of people a war by the state against its citizenry? Is not the jailing of labor leaders, poets, writers, educators, critics and dissenters an expression of this spreading new ruthless totalitarianism? It is not necessary for a ruling elite to exterminate all its enemies, only the most ardent ones. The survivors will get the point: either go along with the government or perish.

Why should the new black dictators of Africa or the Latin despots in South America risk a war against a neighboring state when they can reign like monarchs at the head of an armed force that does not scruple to crush its own brothers and sisters in the streets or in the jails? It is extremely unlikely, given the unfolding pattern of events, that a new Hitler will arise bent on world domination. It is more probably, indeed, it is an everyday happening, that the new despots kill their own people in preference to foreigners.

The great question facing this generation is whether liberty can survive, anywhere. In "All the President's Men," Woodward and Bernstein have given us a portrait of a Nixon Administration poised on the brink of totalitarianism, able to create a climate of repression that led to the murders at Kent State, able to wage secret wars and commit secret crimes. The idea that the U.S. military would conspire to take over this country is no longer a far-fetched possibility. We have already before us the spectacle of a loose coalition of intelligence agencies, from the CIA to the FBI, and no doubt including numerous local police departments and law enforcement agencies, and the Treasury Department that have committed crimes against the public.

Worse, with the support of the Congress, the mentality of these cloak-and-dagger operators has been exported abroad. U.S. dollars were poured into Greece to finance the regime of the colonels, who blotted out liberty. U.S. aid has gone to train police "death squads" across Latin America. In fact, instead of exporting the ideal of liberty and justice, in recent years the U.S. has been a prime purveyor of arms and the techniques of torture.

In the current political campaign, Idaho's Sen. Frank Church, who has led the fight in the Senate to make the intelligence agencies disclose their operations, is the only candidate who has been addressing the vital issue of freedom. Neither President Ford nor Ronald Reagan has raised this point, nor has Jimmy Carter given any proof of his concern on this subject. It is tragic that while Americans are readying fireworks to ignite in celebration of their birthright of liberty, that their leadership largely ignores its eradication around the world.

It is particularly ironic that the public seems not to be mindful of the fact that lying, cheating, and cover-ups are now commonplace in Washington; and that presidents of both parties have systematically lied to the public. Charles Morgan, formerly with the American Civil Liberties Union in Washington, D.C., writes in the current issue of The Nation magazine: "We can no longer tolerate a government of secrecy, lies and deception, or the subversion of the ideal of consent of the governed. We can no longer afford to accept the facile rationalizations that justify the use of undemocratic methods both at home and abroad."

Who is this "we" of whom author Morgan writes? To be sure, he means the American public. But they are out cherring in the streets while the Federal government gives aid and comfort to tyrants around the globe and while elements within that Federal structure are contemplating whether it might not be just as well if the U.S. went the way of India.

We ought to recall that the murder of President Kennedy resulted in the forcible overthrow of our government and that that murder has never been satisfactorily cleared up. The same is true of the killings of Sen. Robert Kennedy and the Rev. Martin Luther King, and the shooting of George Wallace. Those who fail to see the pattern in these seemingly isolated acts of violence live in peril of losing their liberties. World War III is here.

New Basketball Coach at TCC

Clair Markey, varsity basketball coach at East Lathrop High School, Fairbanks, Alaska, has been appointed varsity basketball coach for 1976-77 at Tacoma Community College.

The position is effective immediately, said Dr. Larry Stevens, TCC president.

Markey attended Seattle Preparatory School between 1950 and 1954, where he was elected to the All Cross League First Team. He has a Bachelor of Education Degree from Seattle University with a major in History and a minor in Physical Education. While at SU he was captain of the freshman basketball team and three year varsity letterman.

Markey has been coaching basketball since 1960. He was freshman and assistant varsity coach to Vince Cazetta at Seattle University between 1960 and 1963, and took over as interim coach in 1963. He led the Seattle University team to the regional NCAA playoffs with an overall season record of 20 wins to six losses.

In 1968 his team at Juneau Douglas High School in Juneau, Alaska, were All Alaska State Champions. They earned that title again in 1971 with a team record of 32 wins and one loss.

This spring he was coach of the Alaska boys basketball team in the Arctic Winter Games which will take place in Shefferville, Quebec.

Markey takes the place of Don Moseid who recently resigned from the coaching position at Tacoma Community College.

Seattle NAACP Seeks 1700 New Members

By W.E. Romious

The NAACP membership drive is in its final stages in the Seattle area. Currently there are 1,637 members who have been recruited. Last year Seattle led this region in memberships. In order to maintain this lead, the Seattle branch now needs an additional 1,700 memberships.

Since memberships are the determining factor in deciding which NAACP branch will be first in its recruiting efforts, children's memberships do count. Mrs. Cheryl Woods, the membership chairperson, urges all parents to include their children when purchasing a membership.

One of the advantages of an NAACP membership is that it allows access to the Sentinel-NAACP Credit Union now located in Seattle and Tacoma. The Credit Union had its initial beginnings as the NAACP Credit Union in 1954 in the basement of Mrs. E. June Smith who then was the first treasurer. Phil Burton was the first president. Later in 1958 in the attic of the Masonic Temple, formerly on East Cherry, Sentinel Credit Union was established. James Purnell was then the president and Leland E. Hailey was the treasurer. Both institutions were opened on a part-time basis until 1966 when they eventually merged to become Sentinel-NAACP Credit Union. Assets now total $2,183,000, loans total $2,067,000, shares total $1.483,000 and deposit accounts total $418,000.

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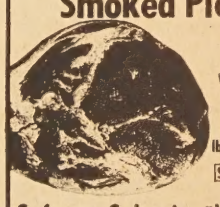
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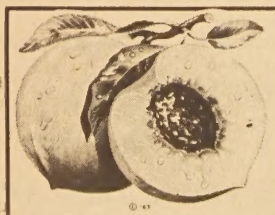
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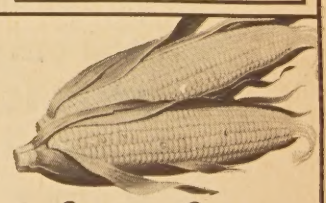
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What are the training fees and cost of books, supplies and equipment? There are no fees, and all books supplies, and equipment are supplied. What are the opportunities for job placement upon course completion? Tacoma Urban League maintains cooperative relations with labor management, and employment services, thereby providing its graduates with valuable inroads to full-time employment. What certification do graduates of SIP receive? Each enrollee who satisfactorily completes the SIP will be awarded "A Certificate of Expertise". Persons aspiring to improve their secretarial skill and employment opportunities should call Ms. Iva Thompson, (SIP) Program Coordinator; 383-2009. The Secretarial Improvement Program is funded by The Pierce County Manpower Planning Office, which operates under the direction of The Pierce County Commissioners.

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Pierce County Manpower Planning Office
1976 Budget

FILE NO. 18 RESOLUTION NO. 18824
Pierce County Manpower Planning Office
1976 Budget
Emergency Appropriation
HEARING: JULY 6TH, 1976

WHEREAS, Pierce County as been allocated additional funds in the amount of $1,746,077. under the Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for the purpose of continuing the Public Service Employment Program through the transition quarter 1976 & through January 31, 1977; and

WHEREAS, this will enable the County to provide continued transitional employment opportunities for unemployment and underemployed County residents with principal thrust towards the most economically disadvantaged; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Pierce County Commissioners did declare an emergency to exist for additional appropriations for the needed expenses; and

WHEREAS, an emergency exists which could not have reasonably been foreseen at the time of the preparation of the 1976 Budget; Now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF PIERCE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

Section 1. An emergency be and the same is hereby declared to exist for the additional appropriation to the Public Service Employment Program Budget for the Fiscal Year 1976 and through January 31, 1977 in the amount of $1,746,077. to be made available upon the development of, and approval of, a continued program modification and shall be expended under account numbers on the budgets as filed with the Pierce County Commissioners' Office.

Section 2. Funds allocated will be used to provide salaries and benefits to continue the present program at approximately the current level of enrollment with concentrated job development efforts provided to move present participants into unsubsidized employment, thus affording employment opportunities for additional unemployed residents of the community.

Section 3. Distribution of spaces under the program will be as filed with the Pierce County Commissioners' Office.

Section 4. The goal of the program is to serve 480 Pierce County residents which reflects an increase of 171 total to be served during the Fifth Quarter and Through January 31, 1977. The completed Modification No. 12 to the Grant application will be available for review at the Pierce County Manpower Office at 705 South 9th, Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Comments may be directed to the Board of Pierce County Commissioners, 1046 County-City Building during the 30-day period after date of this publication.

Section 5. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a public hearing be held at the hour of 10:00 A.M. on the said emergency appropriation on TUESDAY, the 6TH day of JULY, 1976, in the Chambers of the Pierce County Commissioners, County-City Building, Tacoma, Washington, at which time taxpayers and other interested persons may appear and be heard for or against the said emergency appropriation.

Section 6. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that at said time and place above given, said taxpayers or other interested persons may appear and be heard for or against the said emergency appropriation of monies herein set forth for the foregoing public emergency.

PASSED and APPROVED by the Board of Pierce County Commissioners this 8TH day of JUNE, 1976.

PATRICK GALLAGHER
Chairman

GEORGE P. SHERIDAN

CLAY HUNTINGTON
Board of Pierce County Commissioners

Approved:

Everett Foster
Asst. Budget Director.

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The Modification will allow 23 of the positions funded during FY 1976 to continue through the summer months.

The positions to be retained on Title VI after June 30 are as follows:

Agency	Number of Positions	Amount
American Red Cross	2	$3,537
Boys Club (Downtown)	4	4,906
Boys Club (Northwest)	1	2,052
Boys Club (South End)	1	2,052
Boys Club (Eastside)	1	2,100
Catholic Children's Services	3	6,516
Mary Bridge Hospital (Child Dev.)	1	1,320
Mary Bridge Hospital (Health Center)	3	4,050
Citizens Affirmative Action	3	7,248
Comp. Mental Health Department	2	3,303
Faith Home	2	3,045
	23	$40,129

Total planned expenditure of funds July 1975 - September 1976:

Administration	$ 146,386
Wages	2,160,352
Fringe Benefits	304,411
Training	8,805
Services	4,625

The grant modification may be reviewed Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the City of Tacoma Comprehensive Employment Services' office, 705 South 9th, Tacoma, Washington, 98405.

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Seattle's CCA to Host 7th Annual National Association of Minority Contractors Convention

Beginning June 29th through July 3, 1976, the Central Contractors Association, Anc. (CCA), of Seattle, will host the 7th Annual Convention of the National Association of Minority Contractors (NAMC) at the Washington Plaza Hotel. Wednesday, June 30th has been designated as Industry Day with the Seattle Convention and Tourist Bureau and the Seattle Chapter of Associated General Contractors (AGC) serving as co-hosts.

In connection with the convention and as a significant part of the day's program, CCA is sponsoring an Awards Luncheon to recognize those individuals and organizations who have helped CCA to render service to minority entrepreneurs in the local construction industry. Mr. S. Pete Volpe, Senior Vice-President, AGC of America, Washington, D.C., will be the guest speaker. A no-host reception will begin at 11:20 a.m. in the Concord/Lexington Room, with lunch being served promptly at noon in the Plaza Ballroom.

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The Wall Street West Report

by Abe Moore

Small businesses win $4 million in SBA contracts, reports the Daily Journal of Commerce. Nearly $4 million in government contracts were awarded to Puget Sound area small businesses in the past two months through the US Small Business Administration's Set-Aside Program, SBA regional director, Daniel B. Ward, announced.

Ward explained that these contracts are the result of cooperative efforts between the SBA and government buying agencies in setting aside suitable government purchases for exclusive competitive award to small businesses.

"To minimize the disadvantages the small businessman has traditionally faced when dealing with the government the SBA works at a procurement level with Federal agencies and provides a liason function between the agencies and small businessmen," Ward added.

The largest contract for $2,269,000 was awarded to Prime Construction Co., Inc., Seattle, to build utilities at the Naval Torpedo Station at Keyport, Washington.

Seven of the contracts were to be performed at Ft. Lewis, Tacoma Suburban Lines, Inc., of Tacoma received a $172,290 contract for on-post shuttle bus service, Olympia Mechanical Corp., Lacey, received a $119,240 contract to replace underground steam distribution lines and King Construction Company of Seattle contracted to replace and relocate sewer lines for $206,770.

Other contract awards at Ft. Lewis were to M & M Landscapers, Spanaway, who contracted to perform grounds maintenance for $150,155, Queen City Sheet Metal & Roofing, Inc., Seattle, who will repair selected base roofing for $533,854, and Empire Painting Co., Inc., Puyallup, who contracted to perform interior painting of miscellaneous buildings for $133,823. The J. D. Shotwell Co. of Tacoma was awarded a $124,421 contract for asphalt resurfacing of streets, also at Ft. Lewis.

Carl F. Miller & Co., Inc., Seattle, was awarded a $132,200 contract to provide 5000 tons of copper slac blasting material to the US Navy Supply center in Bremerton, WA.

The regional director said that procurement specialists in SBA's Seattle agencies are prospective customers, how they can have their names placed on bidders' lists, and how to obtain drawings and specifications for specific contracts.

Ward recommended two SBA publications to businessmen interested in government procurement. One, "The US Government Purchasing and Sales Directory," lists principal goods and services bought by each government agency. It is sold for $2.35 at the 1st-floor government bookstore in Seattle's new federal building.

Another booklet, "Selling to the US Government," explains how to sell to the government and how to find subcontract opportunities. It is available free from the Regional SBA Office, 710 Second Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98104, Phone: 442-0390.

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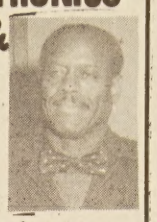

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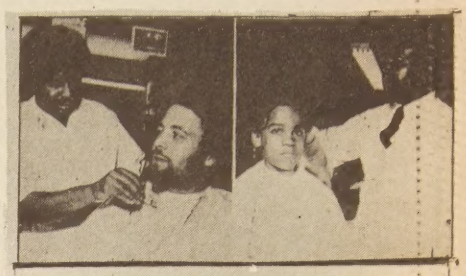

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Fashion Editor

Each week an action or activity I'm involved in clicks in my head giving me an idea for my column. This week I was working with, or around several groups of people who are so-called professionals or who are striving towards professionalism.

Professionalism is a word that is often carelessly attached to a persons career or job duties. It is frequently used incorrectly to make someone feel or seem more important. "I am a professional artist," sounds much more authoritative than, "I am an artist." The word professional gives the connation one is more qualified, financially superior and in a higher level position.

But being a professional, a true professional involves more than technical know-how. You may have graduated from vocational trade school, technical institute, colleges or whatever training course your job requires. Does this automatically qualify you as a professional? Or if for instance you are successful in your field does that qualify you as a professional? Is it the amount of money you make, the number of clients you have or the type of customers you serve? I don't think so.

Although ability, education and good help do play a huge part in career failures, over fifty percent of all business failures are due to personality difficulties. Having a profession does not make you a professional. Personalities must be professional before you become a professional.

One of the greatest sources of waste in business today is people's failure to live up to their potential. Most modern business executives climbed up the ladder to success because they understood the value of good personality traits in getting ahead. They did not ignore education or physical fitness; they needed these assets to work their way above the crowd. But neither did they neglect the development of their personalities.

I am sure in every field there is jealousy, cut throat actions and rudeness. But in fashion sometimes it seems we have an abundance. Buyers, designers, photographers, models, dressing room attendants and all the other people who work in the industry are striving for professionalism. It is not a hobby, not a part-time thing not a front people can put on and pull off. Professionalism is a trait which requires twelve basic ingredients outside of education and health.

Character is a combination of qualities traits and virtues that distinguish an individual. For success you need honesty, sincerity, loyalty, fairness, integrity and tolerance. Without this type of professional character you are not a professional.

Enthusiasm is the magic ingredient. Anyone who is excited and enthusiastic will help others catch the feeling. Enthusiasm is like charm.

Attitude is either positive or negative. In the modern world, a constructive positive, businesslike attitude is a major necessity.

Imagination makes it possible for us to anticipate the outcome of our actions. It makes us interesting, helpful and welcome to everyone around us. Turn your daydreams into actualities.

Initiative is what makes a person a self-starter. It is the personality that has the ability to do things on their own steam rather than waiting for someone to tell them when, where, how and what to do.

Assertiveness not aggressiveness makes the breaks. It creates opportunities and lights the spark of constructive action.

Friendliness is the ingredient that pays the biggest dividends. It is the outward evidence of a cheerful willingness that makes others respond to you. To have a friend, be a friend.

Good manners create good sense and good feelings. When you are polite to every person whether important or not, you show the markings of a true professional.

Good grooming speaks for itself. You'll never be considered a professional if your appearance is a distinct promoter of a winning personality. People generally judge more by appearance than reality.

Personal habits can sometimes mar an otherwise faultless character. Ear pulling, nose twitching, finger drumming, etc. can prove to be undoing of otherwise good personalities.

Humanism is good business. It involves realizing that the average person appreciates being treated like a human being rather than a number. It is the quality that will bring people around to your way of thinking. Anyone aspiring to professionalism should keep in mind the basic needs of the people around him. Giving people recognition, acceptance and admiration is showing your professionalism.

SARAHSCOPE ON GRADUATES - Well this week many of you will be graduating from high school. Now you emerge as the leaders of tomorrow. You step into the graduation ceremony as a group, but you go into the future as individuals.

A special mention to some of my favorite graduates, John Bell, Tina Elleby, Carl Ervin, Diane Franklin, Ricky Johnson, Tracy Johnson, Karen Jones, Robert Keller, Jawann Oldham, Jane Rivers, Cynthia Sophli, Lavelle Standifer, Marsha Tate, Karen Williams, Paula Williams, Paulette Williams, Karen Winston, James Woods and Maurice Young.

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